IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	
Hirotsugu KINOSHITA et al.	Group Art Unit: 1714
Application No.: 10/522,144	Examiner: GOLOBOY, James C.
Filed: August 5, 2005	Confirmation No.: 9210
For: GREASE COMPOSITION) }

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

AMENDMENT AND REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

In response to the Office Action of August 8, 2007, the period for response having been extended to December 10, 2007 (with December 8 falling on a Saturday and December 9 falling on a Sunday), by a request for extension of one month and fee payment filed concurrently herewith, Applicants request reconsideration of this application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning at page 2.

Remarks/Arguments follow the amendments to the claims at page 5.